

Utah Dept. of Natural Resources
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Dear Friends:

I am writing to express my concern over the attempt by Las Vegas and the Southern Nevada Water Authority to pump all the water from eastern Nevada to Las Vegas. I am sure you are already aware of what is going on here, and the disastrous effects it could have on our western Utah water sources if this proposal goes through.

I am very familiar and care deeply about this area. I lived in Callao, Utah for several years as a child, and my parents farmed in the west desert for many years. I know and love the beauty of the Fish Springs Wildlife Refuge, the Deep Creek Mountains, and the Great Basin National Park. The thought of having those places ruined by this unconscionable attempt to grab all the water for Las Vegas, so they can build more casinos and artificial lakes, fills me with outrage. I, and many others who feel as I do, just want to urge and encourage you to fight this effort to the best of your ability, or at least negotiate the strongest deal possible if it comes to that point.

Thank you for your attention.

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